State of Alaska FY2005 Governor's Operating Budget

Department of Administration
Unlicensed Vessel Participant Annuity Retirement Plan
Component Budget Summary

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Contribution to Department's Mission

To assure access to benefits for public employees and retirees.

Core Services

This component holds funds for the Unlicensed Vessel Participant Annuity Retirement Plan (UVPARP) benefits payments.

The Unlicensed Vessel Participant Annuity Retirement Plan (UVPARP) was a union-sponsored retirement plan offered to state DOT/PF employees who were working aboard the vessels of the Alaska Marine Highway System and were members of the Inland Boatmen's Union of the Pacific (IBUP) in the 1960's. Most members of this small retirement system converted their service and contributions to the PERS in 1992. The Division of Retirement and Benefits assumed the role of plan administrator for the 57 members who elected to remain in the UVPARP.

Members of the UVPARP are eligible to receive an early retirement benefit at age 55 and a normal benefit at age 65. Members may choose either a 5-year certain annuity or joint/survivor lifetime benefit.

FY2005 Resources Allocated to Achieve Results				
FY2005 Component Budget: \$75,000	Personnel: Full time	0		
	Part time	0		
	Total	0		

Key Component Challenges

The division is currently attempting to contact two surviving spouses of members who are deceased.

Significant Changes in Results to be Delivered in FY2005

No significant service changes are anticipated.

Major Component Accomplishments in 2003

As of the end of FY2003, annuities had been purchased for 42 of the 57 UVPARP members eligible to receive a retirement benefit under provisions of the plan. Three members were eligible to receive an early benefit under UVPARP in FY2003; one will be eligible for a normal benefit in FY2005. One more member will be eligible for an early benefit in FY2005. Projected annuities will cost between \$19,000 and \$25,000 each to purchase.

Statutory and Regulatory Authority

No statutes and regulations.

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Unlicensed Vessel Participant Annuity Retirement Plan Component Financial Summary All dollars shown in thousands FY2004 Authorized FY2003 Actuals FY2005 Governor Formula Program: **Component Expenditures:** 71000 Personal Services 0.0 0.0 0.0 72000 Travel 0.0 0.0 0.0 73000 Contractual 0.0 0.0 0.0 74000 Supplies 0.0 0.0 0.0 75000 Equipment 0.0 0.0 0.0 76000 Land/Buildings 0.0 0.0 0.0 77000 Grants, Claims 0.0 75.0 75.0 78000 Miscellaneous 0.0 0.0 0.0 **Expenditure Totals** 0.0 75.0 75.0

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Funding Sources:

Funding Totals

1004 General Fund Receipts

Summary of Component Budget Changes From FY2004 Authorized to FY2005 Governor All dollars shown in thousands						
	General Funds	Federal Funds	Other Funds	Total Funds		
FY2004 Authorized	75.0	0.0	0.0	75.0		
FY2005 Governor	75.0	0.0	0.0	75.0		